GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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RECOVERY OF LOSS BY V.C.I.
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) in its Report No. 4 of 2000 (Civil) highlighted avoidable loss of money by the Veterinary Council of India by depositing money with HUDCO without either informing the Ministry or ensuring funds for the purpose;

(b) if so, whether his Ministry has conducted any inquiry into the matter;

(c) if so, the outcome thereof;

(d) whether there is any proposal to recover the loss sustained by the State from the erring officials; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) On receipt of the draft Audit Para, the Ministry enquired the facts from the Veterinary Council of India. The Councilinformed that HUDCO has decided to revoke the cancellation of allotment.

(d) & (e) Since HUDCO has decided to revoke the cancellation of allotment, recovery of the loss is not proposed.